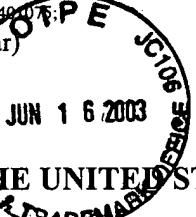


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Applicant: Richard Fletcher

Application No.: 10/012,218 Group: 2863

Filed: December 6, 2001 Examiner: Aditya S. Bhat

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For: IMPROVED METHODS AND DEVICES FOR IDENTIFYING,  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.

A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(COL. 1)	(COL. 2)	(COL. 3)	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	63	MINUS	* 55	12
INDEP				
	10	MINUS	** 3	7
<b>FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM</b>				

\* not fewer than 20

\*\* not fewer than 3

SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDT. FEE	RATE	ADDT. FEE
X \$ 9	\$ 108	X \$18	\$
X \$42	\$ 294	X \$84	\$
+ \$140	\$	+ \$280	\$

OR

TOTAL = \$ <u>402</u>	TOTAL = \$ <u>0</u>
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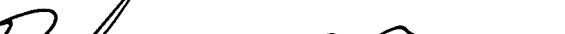
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- A general authorization is hereby granted to charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application. A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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